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1. On 7 November 1951, the barracks installation at Gardolegen (M 53/Y 44) airfield was occupied to capacity by 800 to 1,000 troops. There was a disproportionately large number of lieutenants and senior lieutenants, most of whom were infantrymen and only a few were artillerymen. Five groups of 15 to 20 men each were seen receiving basic infantry training with rifles and light machine guns. Enlisted men, which source observed, wore black-bordered crimson epaulets. [REDACTED]  
The radar set was located at the same place as previously but was not revolving. A truck, with boards on the outside similar to trucks previously observed, was near the radar set. \*
2. On 7 November, the large barracks building of the Remonte Kaserne was occupied to capacity by troops who wore black epaulets. No training activity was noticed. [REDACTED]
- \* [REDACTED] Comment. The Fliegerhorst Kaserne possibly quarters a motorized rifle regiment, probably the 593th of the 207th Itz Rifle Div. [REDACTED]  
The radar set is type Dumbo and stands on a hill 750 meters east of the Remonteschule. [REDACTED]
- \*\* [REDACTED] Comment. The information confirms a previous assumption that the Remonteschule quarters the 390th Indep Engr Bn of the LXXIX Itz Rifle Corps, whose components were seen by another source when they entered the installation [REDACTED]  
The three trucks mentioned in the present report belong to headquarters units of the Third Shock Army and the LXXIX Itz Rifle Corps.

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